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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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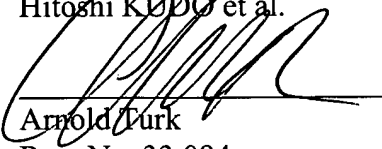
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Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Official Office Action dated February 9, 2001 by three months, from May 9, 2001 to August 9, 2001. A check in the amount of \$890.00 is enclosed as payment for the fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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